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## CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION

### Short Document

*The CX short document is provided for those categorically excluded actions that are largely administrative in nature, such as right-of-way reassignments, special recreation permit renewals, etc., where no on the ground changes occur and review by resource staff is not required.*

NUMBER: DOI-BLM-CO-F02-2015-0018 CX

CASEFILE/PROJECT NUMBER (optional): COC-66095

PROJECT NAME: Access Road Right-of-Way Assignment

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: T. 13 S., R. 74 W., Section 3: NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>; Section 15: NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>.

APPLICANT: Mid-Michigan Timber and Forestry Inc.

#### DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED ACTION

Access road right-of-way (ROW) grant COC-66095 was issued on January 13, 2003 to Spinney Ranch Corp. By application filed on April 8, 2013, Mid-Michigan Timber and Forestry, Inc. applied for assignment of the ROW.

By regulations at 43 CFR 2807.21, the applicant has agreed, in writing, to the terms and conditions of the authorization. All easements across intervening landowners are on file and the rent is paid through December 31, 2022. Because the grant is in good standing and applicant has complied with all regulations, it is recommended that the assignment be approved.

CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION REVIEW: This proposed action is listed as a Categorical Exclusion in DOI Departmental Manual Part 516 Chapter 11 E. (9). None of the following exceptions in 516 DM 2, Appendix 2, apply.

Supervisor Initial JMR NEPA Initial MW

SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED OFFICIAL:

/s/ Keith E. Berger  
Keith E. Berger, Field Manager

DATE SIGNED: 12/19/14